

Irma's Next Big Day, Wednesday, August 4

Water and Sewage Discussed at Monthly Council Meeting

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Council of the Village of Irma held in the Village office on the 12th day of July, 1964 at 8 p.m.

Councillors present, W. N. Fricke, W. Symington, V. Sampson. Mayor Fricke in the chair.

Minutes of the last regular meeting of the Council were read and on motion of Sampson adopted as written.

Dr. Donald Stanley was present for D. R. Stanley and Associates Ltd. in the matter of sewage and water for the Village.

It was agreed on motion of Symington that a survey be made and plan prepared regarding all matters pertaining to Water and Sewage for the Village of Irma and approximate cost thereof, with ways and means to liquidate cost of such proposed project.

Mr. Stanley promised delivery of such a report in a matter of four or five weeks for the pleasure of the Council.

Correspondence was read from Dr. A. E. Caldwell, Viking, that he would be unable to give a weekly doctor service in the village at the present time.

Building permit was approved re Irma Co-op Association store building on lot 2 plan 1560W Block 8, Village of Irma.

Re Municipal Assistance Act, Chapter 54, Statutes of Alberta, 1961 and Amendment Chapter 58, 1962.

Municipal Revenue Grant payable to the Village of Irma under the provisions of this Act for 1964, \$2769.71.

On motion of Symington it was agreed that the regular monthly meeting of the Council during the month of August be set for August 23, at 8 p.m.

Financial Statement: Mun. Account net balance at the end of the month \$2770.71. Cemetery Trust \$80.69. Agri. Trust \$83.23. Financial Statement accepted and following accounts amounting to \$404.03 be passed for payment on Motion of W. Fricke. Symington moved that meeting adjourn.

CHURCH SERVICES

AVONGLEN GOSPEL MISSION
Regular Sunday services are held at Avonglen Gospel Mission every Sunday.
Sunday School 10:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11:45 a.m.
We preach the Book, the Blood and The Blessed Hope.
T. M. Conway, Pastor.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Service of Holy Communion will be held in St. Mary's Church on Sunday, July 18 at 2:30 p.m.

JARROW UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, July 18
A joint service will be held at Melbrae 11:30 a.m. Sunday School at Jarrow 10:30 a.m.
Bring your own picnic lunch.
Sermon: "The Anxious Mind."
The Student Minister, Leonard F. Ling B.A.

Southern Sayings

Mr. and Mrs. P. Spooner and family and Mr. C. C. Walker have settled in their new home in the city and are greatly missed.

Deepest and sincere sympathy is extended to all the Smallwood families on the death of their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reber and family, motored to the city Monday where Mr. Reber and Faye stayed for a few days as Mr. Reber is not very well. Mrs. Ashley, Murray and Barbara accompanied them.

Some 27,000 Canadians are employed in the fine paper industry. Their weekly output is valued at about \$1,500,000.

Northern Nuggets

At a meeting of the Albert, Education Point and Orbindale districts on July 9, the decision was made favoring centralization of the schools at Albert. As explained by Mr. Hall and several divisional trustees in attendance, there would be two separate school buildings in the Albert school yard this next year, with a larger and better building planned for later on.

Mrs. Sid Smith and daughter are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bares, being out from Toronto for the holidays. Mrs. Smith is Mrs. Bares's sister, the former Kathleen Knowles.

We are sorry to hear that so many district folk have suffered painful accidents this past week or so. Mrs. Allan Larson was severely scalded in an accident with her pressure cooker Monday morning, being burned above the waist and down her arms. Her mother, Mrs. Cochroft, is down from the city while she is laid up at home. Mrs. W. H. Prior also had two nasty accidents the same day when she put her hand through the wringer and fell, twisting and cranking his truck and we understand that little Gary Emmott has had a hand cut.

We hope all these people on the sick list will soon be all right again. All this is such a long list of troubles we're beginning to wonder who's next?

Sympathy is extended to the Greer families in the death of Mrs. Greer Sr., who, we understand, passed away last Tuesday and whose funeral was held in Irma on Thursday.

Mrs. John Moore and little girls of Tofield are visiting at the McRoberts home this week.

Card of Thanks

A very warm and earnest "thank you" to the many folk who responded to the sounding of the fire siren on Sunday last. Your prompt action prevented almost certain disaster for some of our neighbors and we are deeply grateful. Our appreciation goes also to Miss Joan Nilsson, operator-on-duty, whose immediate response meant that no precious minutes were lost. Our heartfelt thanks to each one of you.

—Bob and Lily Simmermon.

Jarrow News

Mrs. G. Theroux left on the flier Wednesday evening to visit with relatives in Minnesota, S.D. and Wisconsin.

Mrs. H. Whidden's sister from Iowa has been visiting here. There will be a Vacation School in the Jarrow Church this week of July 19 and 25. This school is for all children of Sunday School age and will be held every afternoon from 1:30 to 4:00 p.m.

Miss Olga Bruhaug returned to her nursing duties at Vegreville after spending her annual holiday.

Miss Vivian Overby was home for the week-end.

Mr. Ralph Peete of Edmonton renewed old acquaintances in the Jarrow district on Friday of last week.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our deepest gratitude to all the friends who performed so many acts of love to comfort and cheer Mrs. Smallwood during her long illness. We also wish to sincerely thank all who sent flowers, memorial donations and sympathy cards and offered us so many little kindnesses during our recent sad bereavement. These have helped us all so much.

—Mrs. Tripp and the Smallwood families.

Former Residents Pass Away

Mrs. G. W. Greer, former resident of the Irma district, passed away at Lethbridge recently. The remains were brought to Irma and interred at the Irma cemetery beside those of her husband who predeceased her.

Donations to the Alberta Protestant Home for Children from Mr. and Mrs. J. Dunbar and family; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Prior and family; Mr. and Mrs. L. Kowicz; Mr. and Mrs. J. Marshall; Bob, Mary Dempsey and family; Jim and Minnie Jackson; Friends at Lethbridge.

Mr. Geo. McLean, former resident of the Crescent Hill district, east of Irma, passed away in Wainwright hospital on July 1. Funeral services were held at Wainwright.

A donation to the Protestant Home for Children in memory of Mr. McLean has been made by Mr. J. A. Hedley.

Donations in memory of the late Mr. Lloyd Allen and Mrs. Christine McLeod have been made to the United Church General Fund by Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Reeds.

Kinsella News

Mr. and Mrs. A. Loades and family were visitors to Calgary and Banff last week and took in the Calgary stampede.

Mrs. Wm. Greenwood accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Greenwood to the Calgary stampede and Kimberley, B.C., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jim Greenwood last week.

Word has been received from the company that Mrs. G. Paterson won the Salada Tea contest with her embroidered tea cloth at the No. 2 District W.I. Conference.

Mrs. A. Barker and Mrs. Bert Wilkinson spent a few days in the city last week.

Mr. Bobby Wilkinson is spending a vacation with his grandparents at Edmonton.

A shower in honor of Mrs. G. Cannon, nee Miss Olga Mulawski, by a number of her friends was held in the basement of Kinsella Church on Friday night, July 9. Contests and games were enjoyed and Mrs. Cannon received many pretty and useful gifts. After this a delicious lunch was served by the sponsors.

Mrs. J. Lancaster and Mrs. D. Bourke are attending a Church Conference at Didsbury.

Mr. John Smith is spending a holiday in Edmonton and Ponoka.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. K. Overbo, Darlene and Edward, motored to Red Deer where Edward is taking a six weeks course in Physics.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Pickell and family of Stratford, Ont., are visiting Mrs. Pickell's father, Mr. J. Brown, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Brown enjoyed a fishing trip recently. Mr. and Mrs. C. Powell are guests at the home of their son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Easton Powell in Edmonton who celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary on Saturday, July 10.

On the occasion of her sixteenth birthday anniversary Miss Patricia Carpenter entertained a number of her friends at a party.

Flowers in memory of the late Mr. A. Milne were placed in the church on Sunday by Mrs. Milne and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gardner of Detroit, Mich., who homesteaded in the Kinsella district two miles south-east of town by Grattan Lake from 1909 to 1912, has come to visit his old stamping grounds and renew old acquaintances. They were accompanied by an aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Martin of Edmonton.

Mr. Earl Scott and family of White Mud Creek are visiting with her father Mr. W. Greenwood.

Mr. Tony Piwowar is spending his vacation at his home here.

Over twenty men helped at

Glen-Coa Gleanings

The sincere sympathy of all is extended to the Smallwood families in their recent sad bereavement.

July has brought its quota of visitors to several homes. Mr. and Mrs. D. Goodrich and two grandsons of Spokane spent several days at the P. Spring farm.

The O. Likness home had guests this week from east and west. Rev. and Mrs. L. Likness of Fort Arthur; Mr. and Mrs. Edgington of Vancouver, accompanied by Ricky Edgington and his cousin Douglas Ward (the boys plan to spend July on the farm); and Mr. S. Likness and Gloria of Vancouver.

Those attending the Lutheran League Bible Camp at Hastings Lake this week are Erling Nilson, Edythe and Sigmund Gulbraa.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pedel and Pat are visiting in Edmonton this week.

Others who went to Edmonton for a day this week were Mr. and Mrs. S. Nilson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. M. Relian.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reitan and Wendy visited relatives here last week-end.

Sharon Sunday School had its annual picnic last Saturday afternoon at the lake near B. Gulbraa's farm. Besides swimming races, games of ball and

was on the spot with his motor boat, in which everyone from the toddler up had a ride. Fred and his boat have become an important part of the Sharon picnic. A feast fit for a king was enjoyed before tired, but happy people left for home—and awaiting chores.

Daysland Farmer Winner of Car at Curling Club Bingo

(From The Viking News)

About 1100 attended the car bingo sponsored by the Viking Curling Club in the Carena last Thursday evening.

Winner of the Chevrolet car was Mr. Mike Deloski of Daysland.

Other prize winners were:

1. W. Hanson, Viking.
2. E. Darcy, Killam.
3. Mrs. C. Jevne, Viking.
4. Mrs. Bill Bellman, Viking.
5. L. W. Thunell, Viking.
6. A. Evans, Rosalind.
7. J. Latton, Holden.
8. R. Otto, Viking.
9. L. Johnson, Ryley.
10. J. E. Stepanik, Innisfree.
11. J. Chilton.
12. Z. Bilyk, Holden.
13. Geo. Harding, Kinsella.
14. L. Petras, Viking.
15. Mrs. Walker, Viking.
16. Peter Owcher, Vegreville.
17. Mrs. Wm. Stalker, Viking.
18. Geo. O'Connor, Kinsella.
19. A. M. Goughan.
20. Mike Deloski, Daysland.

Door prize, Miss Alma Hurtelau, Viking.

clean up day at the cemetery on Wednesday. The appearance of the cemetery is much improved by this effort. A thank you is due to all who helped and a special thanks to Mr. Bert Armitage for bringing his power pole digger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Beschell were visitors to the city during the week.

Mr. K. Matchmas of Stroms is at present visiting her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. M. Gayler.

FORMER IRMA BOY MARRIES IN B.C.

Scarlet and Gold of RCMP Predominant at Johnston-MacLeod Rites

The scarlet and gold of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police added a brilliance to the wedding solemnized in the Pentiction United Church, June 16, at 7 p.m. in which a Pentiction nurse, Joy Victoria MacLeod, became the bride of Const. Lloyd Johnston.

Peonies and roses decorating the church altar made a lovely color setting for the double ring ceremony performed by Rev. E. Rands to unite in marriage the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. MacLeod of Charlotte, town, P.E.I., and the only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Johnston of Vermilion, Alberta. As the bride's parents were unable to be present for the wedding, she was given in marriage by S. A. MacDonald of Summerland, a family friend formerly of P.E.I. White Chantilly lace designed in the princess mode misted ivory satin to fashion the charming bride's gown in train. Sleeves were in lily point and a fredeen neckline accented the beauty of the gown. Her finger-tips were held in place by a Juliet cap and garnet roses while daisies combined to style her cascade bouquet. A shade of pearls, a gift of the groom, was her only ornament.

Miss Phyllis Patten, R.N., was maid of honor and Miss Lorraine Foster, R.N., was bridesmaid. Their full length frocks fashioned alike were of silvery blue shade which was contrasted by their bouquets of yellow carnations. They wore matching blue head circlets.

Const. Dave Williams was best man and ushering were Const. C. Woods and Const. D. G. MacLeod.

As an accompaniment for soloist "O Perfect Love" during the signing of the register.

At the reception held aboard the S.S. Scammon the guests were received by the wedding entourage with Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald acting for the bride's parents and Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, the groom's parents. Mrs. Johnston was attractively attired in a gown of pale blue crepe and lace, milk white accessories and pink carnation corsage. Mrs. MacDonald wore a rust suit with beige accessories and pink carnations corsage.

George Darbeis of Naramata proposed the toast to the bride. Telegrams were read from relatives and friends from P.E.I., Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and B.C.

The bride donned a navy blue silk suit with white accessories and pink carnation corsage for travelling on the honeymoon trip to centres of interest in the States.

Ninety-three signed the guest book at the reception which was in charge of Miss Kay Leask, R.N. of the Pentiction hospital.

—Pentiction Herald.

Senator W. J. Buchanan Died Sunday

LETHBRIDGE—Senator Wm. Asbury Buchanan, 78, editor, publisher and a leader in Canadian political life for a half-century, died Sunday after a long illness.

The publisher of the Lethbridge Herald underwent a serious operation last fall. He attended Senate sittings in Ottawa during the winter but became critically ill three months ago. He died at 4 a.m.

The funeral will be held at 4 p.m. Wednesday from Southminster United Church, of which the senator was a prominent member, with Rev. Nelson R. Mercer officiating. Burial will be in the Buchanan family plot in Mountain View cemetery.

A native of Fraserville, Ont., Senator Buchanan was one of Canada's best-known publishers and one of the founders of the old Western Associated Press, the first news-gathering co-operative in Canada and forerunner of The Canadian Press.

Easterly Echoes

Some folks of our district are taking advantage of the holiday season. Lorne and Gordon Anquist visited with Carl and Henry Fenton, Tommy and Donnie Sanders with the Younker boys, and Lily Sanders with the Conway girls of Avon Glen. Bobby Carter from Vancouver is visiting with his uncle, Bill Dootson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Walker of Calgary have been renewing acquaintances in the district and visiting with their sons and daughters here.

One Saturday recently, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Dallow were surprised to see a number of cars drive in and unload about thirty friends to wish them well on the occasion of their 29th wedding anniversary. The afternoon was pleasantly spent with reminiscing and partaking of a tasty lunch and their friends were happy to present Mr. and Mrs. Dallow with a purse of silver.

Miss Carolyn Morse has commenced duties with the Bank of Montreal in Wainwright.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crabbe, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dootson and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Savard spent last week-end at Moose Lake.

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Home at Last



Refuge children who have spent most of their lives in camps peek through the doorway of their new home in a housing project in Wolfach, Germany. The project is part of an overall program for the assimilation of refugee families in European communities, made possible through a Ford Foundation grant of \$2,900,000 to the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.

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Previous speed limit was 60 miles an hour, either day or night, but amendments to the Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act which took effect July 1 make the speed limit 50 miles an hour "when the vehicle headlights are required to be alight" or 60 miles an hour at any other time.

Other amendments call for an automatic suspension of a person's driving licence for 12 months on conviction of being in charge of a motor vehicle while intoxicated, and for six months if convicted of a charge of driving while his ability was impaired by alcohol; second, and subsequent convictions on the latter charge provide for automatic suspension of the driving licence for a year.

Also new since July 1 is the new section of the Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act making it an offence to drive at such a slow speed as to impede or block normal traffic movement.

Operation of a motor vehicle while the driver's licence is cancelled or suspended calls for a sentence on conviction of 20 days minimum and 30 days maximum.

Forest fires destroyed nearly a third more timber in Canada in 1952 than in 1951. The toll—289,656,000 cubic feet.

EDMONTON REPORT

By Donald F. Smith

EDMONTON — Gradually things are being done to Alberta's gigantic "sleeping giant," the oil sands in the northeastern corner of the province.

Latest development was announced last week in the capital. Two Calgary oil companies have taken an option to purchase the government-owned oil sands extraction plant at Bitumont, near McMurray.

The two companies, it is reported, have a process for extracting the oil from the sand and during the 18-month period the option will run plans to see if their process can be co-ordinated with the facilities of the Bitumont plant.

The option price is \$19,952. If the companies decide before the end of 1955 to buy the plant and the 47 acres on which it stands, they will pay \$180,000. The provincial government also would approve a lease giving the companies rights to 5,874 acres of oil-soaked sands in the area.

The option was issued by the government after the second call for bids on the plant, which was developed and operated in order to establish a commercially-feasible method of separating oil from the sands. This has been done to the satisfaction of the Alberta Research Council and having no further use for the pilot plant, it was put on the auction block.

Just what the new developments mean in terms of production from the fabulous oil sands remains to be seen.

Work in the wilds of northeastern Alberta, where hundreds of billions of barrels of oil lie imprisoned in many thousands of acres of sand, has been going on for many years. In fact it is exactly 60 years ago that the first oil well was drilled into the sands by the federal geological survey.

A second well, which struck terrific gas pressure, started a rush of private drillers. But time, money and energy showed that all the oil was in the sands, locked in, and not to be found in pools such as the oilmen were accustomed to elsewhere in the world.

To many, it meant the vast reserve, largest oil field in the world, was useless, only a curiosity from which no good could come. Fortunately, to others it was a challenge—a process to separate the oil and sand remained to be found. It was, and no doubt, variations and modifications are being developed today.

Even if an economically-feasible method of production is a reality and commercial production of oil from the sands is within reach, many problems remain to be solved before the full impact of the oil sands is felt in Alberta.

For instance, there is the transportation problem. This involves both the difficulty and expense of freighting vast amounts of equipment and supplies into the area and the even greater problem of shipping the oil out of the wilderness area. Then, there is the question of marketing the oil. With continuing development of Alberta's oil fields, more markets are essential. The pipelines east and west carry only so much oil and the province's wells are allowed to produce only so much in any given period.

One solution to the shipping problem was advanced way back in 1893 by Dr. Robert Bell, a noted geographer and naturalist, who probed the mysterious sands before 1880. His suggestion was the construction of a pipeline from the McMurray area east to Port Churchill, on Hudson Bay, from where the oil could be shipped in ocean-going tankers.

The two Calgary companies, interest in purchasing the Bitumont plant, are Can-Amara Oil Sands Development Ltd. and Mill Creek Oil Company Limited, both head by S. M. Paulson.

He reported that earlier this summer 40,000 pounds of oil sands were sent to New York state, where construction of the companies' oil extraction equipment is being completed. Tests there were successful and resulted in the deal with the government. The equipment is expected to be shipped to McMurray sometime in August.

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District No. 7 FUA Holds Convention In Vermilion

District 7 of the FUA held a successful convention recently at the Vermilion School of Agriculture. The gathering was smaller than last year, due to the late seeding operations in the area, but in spite of this over 150 delegates, visitors and officials were in attendance.

District President J. Anderson opened the Convention and later acted as Chairman, as did Andrew Wood, Provincial Vice President, E. P. Taylor, District Vice-President, and F. Collins, Mrs. M. Redman and Mrs. Myroniuk acted as convention secretaries.

Mayor Heckbert, welcoming the convention for the fourth time to Vermilion, stated that he and the citizens of the town tendered a genuine welcome and the hope that FUA gatherings would return year after year. He urged that all feel free to make use of the Vermilion Park which had recently been officially opened. Striking a serious vein, Mr. Heckbert said that he knew deliberation of the convention would be overshadowed by existing circumstances in a year when farm income had dropped 15 percent, and that residents in towns and cities were feeling concerned because of the possible effects on the community as a whole, as on the welfare of their rural friends. It was encouraging however, to see present so many of the young men and women on whom the future would depend.

Mr. Urquhart, representing the Vermilion Board of Trade, also welcomed the delegates and said that the Board was very keen on enlisting farmer members. He invited all to call on the Board for help in community projects, and then outlined the facilities to be enjoyed at the new park and in closing wished the convention well in its deliberations.

Mr. Bentley, Principal of the School of Agriculture, said that in returning to the School, and in using its facilities, the delegates would encourage others to attend the various activities held there. He mentioned the Farm Women's Week as being of special interest to those present.

Mrs. Mildred Redman, Hardisty, District FUA Director, who is the only woman holding that office in Alberta, reported on District activities for the last year. She congratulated M. Chmiliar of Myrnam, as Sub District Director of the most ac-

tive and efficiently organized area in the district, and mentioned Dewberry Local as that having made the greatest membership gain. Mrs. Redman was later re-elected by acclamation for her third term as Director.

Mrs. W. Mathison, District FUA Director related the various projects of the Farm Women's Union, and she too was re-elected to her office by acclamation.

Election of District Officers during the afternoon session, Dewberry as President, while H. Ruste Jr., Wainwright, will serve as Vice President. Miss Della Christopherson, Wainwright, was elected Junior Director. Sub District Directors for the coming year will be M. Chmiliar, S.D. 1; Geo. Jack, S.D. 4; L. Killoran, S.D. 5; W. Pugh, S.D. 6; W. C. Drever, S.D. 7; Sub Districts 2 and 3 had held previous elections.

Speaking to the convention during the afternoon session, Provincial President Henry Young complimented District 7 on the interest they had shown in FUA work and in the fine way in which they conducted their convention. He suggested that more time and money be spent in organization work, as a united and vital organization was needed to counteract present conditions. He urged continued demands for Livestock Marketing Boards, and public ownership of electricity. In referring to the price of gasoline Mr. Young told of the success achieved in Saskatchewan by the setting up of a Co-op refinery to explore the possibilities of a similar project in Alberta.

The Building Fund which is being raised to erect an FUA office in Edmonton had reached \$27,000, said Mr. Young. Further contributions were still necessary however. When asked what the FUA were doing to alleviate adverse conditions facing the farmer, Mr. Young stated that they had requested a set floor price on grain, and that a delegation to Ottawa had suggested the lowering of trade barriers and taking currency other than our own or barter.

Mrs. W. C. Taylor, Provincial FUA President, opened her address to the gathering by explaining the stand taken by the FUA on the teacher-training program. As a former teacher, she could understand the feeling of the teaching profession and of many parents. However, in her travels about the province, she had met too many parents whose children were being taught only by supervisors and

Viking Items

A special Committee, under the leadership of Mr. Louis Merta, was appointed to investigate the foundation of the church hall. Upon receipt of their report, the Trustees and the Board of Stewards decided that in the interests of public safety, it would be advisable to demolish this hall. To save expense, this work is to be done through voluntary labour; therefore, the Committee is appealing to all members and adherents who will help in this project to contact a member of the Committee, namely, Messrs. Merta, Burnham and W. Rosen, immediately, so that the first group can be appointed to start work on Monday, July 19.

Visitors at the Wm. Comisarow home over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Lohn and Mrs. Barish of Vancouver and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Amiot, family of Portland, Oregon.

correspondence, and that as a wholly temporary measure, the six weeks training course might help in such situations. She touched on tentative plans being made for much needed homes of the aged, and as much of her work is concerned with legal and income tax problems of farmers and their families, she outlined some of the clauses which would save much financial worry for them.

The convention voted solidly in favour of resolutions asking for the enabling legislature for Livestock Marketing Boards, for a rural plebiscite on the rural electrification question and for provincial long term loans for young farmers. Other resolutions asked for amendments to Pension Laws, Community Property Laws and Intestate Succession Act, while others asking for a farm pension plan, and a car insurance financed by a gasoline tax were passed.

CCF CONVENTION IN EDMONTON JULY 28, 29 and 30

Delegates from all over Canada will be in attendance at the National C.C.F. Convention, which will be held at the Macdonald Hotel, Edmonton, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, July 28, 29 and 30. The convention will be preceded by a meeting of the National Council on Monday and Tuesday, July 26 and 27. A Trade Union-Farmer conference is scheduled for Tuesday morning, July 27.

Mayor Wm. Hawrelak will welcome the delegates on behalf of the city at Wednesday morning's opening session.

On Tuesday evening, July 27, Premier T. C. Douglas of Saskatchewan, and Elmer E. Roper, M.L.A., Alberta CCF Provincial Leader, will address a public meeting in the Masonic Temple. M. J. Coldwell, M.P., National CCF leader, and Angus MacInnis, M.P., will be the speakers at a banquet at the Macdonald Hotel on Thursday evening, July 29.

Madame Therese Cagrain, vice-chairman, will address a women's luncheon at the Mandarin Gardens Wednesday noon.

A sightseeing tour by city bus has been arranged for Saturday morning, July 31.

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IRMA TIMES

Wrote record with powdered ink while on diet of raw fish

You've heard about the Old Cow Hand from the Rio Grande, who, according to the song, never got beyond the corner drug store? Well, in a sense, the kind of Arctic explorer Diamond Jenness will be. He is going to "do" the Arctic from the front room of his home in Ottawa.

Articologist, war veteran, anthropologist and, on the side, a classical scholar, this New Zealand-born man, Ottawa resident for 40 years, is going to write another book about the Arctic. He has just won the Guggenheim Fellowship. The award, to this veteran who nearly starved to death in the Arctic in 1913 from a diet of raw fish and ice gives him the leisure to do something he has dreamed of doing for 40 years. He is going to dig back into his notes written 40 years ago, while he was starving and write a book.

"I was so hungry," reminisced Dr. Jenness, "that I once sat down and wrote menus for a week's meals that I hoped to have when I got back to civilization."

How Dr. Jenness switched from classics to anthropology, and from his home New Zealand to his adopted Canada, are only a fragment from an ancient biography where truth is stranger than fiction.

After Dr. Jenness had taken his classics at Oxford and was back in New Zealand wondering what he was going to do next, he found himself interrupted at shaving one day by a cable from Ottawa. A Dr. Sapir offered him a job to go with Stefansson the explorer.

"I had learned in school that Ottawa was the capital of Canada. I had not heard of Stefansson, and I found out from the parliamentary library in Wellington that Dr. Sapir was a leading scientist in Ottawa. So I went north and spent three years in the Arctic for \$500 a year."

The ship that took Stefansson to the Arctic was the ill-fated *Karluq*. When things got desperate, Stefansson sent Sir Hubert Wilkins and Jenness ashore to get fuel.

To make a long story shorter, later the *Karluq* finally got adrift and sank off Wrangel Island in Siberian waters. Meanwhile Stefansson went away and it was

Home Workshop
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CLOWN PLAY EQUIPMENT
PATTERN 317

These two pieces of outdoor play equipment afford an unusual source of pleasure for children in a wide range. Paint the clown in pure blue, red and black on an all-over coating of white enamel. Then someone will bestow upon him a name and he will quickly become the leading personality of the neighborhood gang. When this project appeared in the paper last summer we received many comments from readers, some of whom sent us photographs of their finished projects. Besides illustrated directions for making the two pieces shown above, the pattern gives details for making an awning covered sand box at the side of the house. The price of pattern is 35c and it is included in the Outdoor Play equipment Pack of six standard size patterns for \$1.50 postpaid.

Department P.F.L., Home Workshop Pattern Service, 4425 West 27th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C.

Funny and Otherwise

Home on unexpected leave, a soldier changed into civvies and went to the local for a drink.

"That's a smart hat you've got on," said the barman.

The soldier took it off and looked at it admiringly. "Yes," he replied, "it's a present from the wife. She thought she'd surprise me with it, but I got home earlier than she expected and I found it on the piano."

Father (to his son's teacher): "How is Bobby doing in history? I was never any good at it in my school days."

Teacher: "I'm afraid history is repeating itself."

A young officer was very small and helpless-looking, and when he first appeared before his men audible comments were made about his apparent ineptness.

From the rear of the ranks a voice said: "And a little child shall lead them."

Seemingly undisturbed, the officer finished the business of the day. But the next day there appeared a notice on the board: "A Company will take an 18-mile route march with full packs. And a little child shall lead them—in a jeep!"

The wife of an actor was talking to a friend about her husband. "Oh, yes," she said, "my husband is one of the greatest Shakespearean actors who ever lived. He recited the V.C. for playing Hamlet two years ago."

"But the Victoria Cross is only awarded for outstanding bravery?"

"Well, you should have seen his Hamlet."

The orderly officer entered the dining-hall and asked the men if there were any complaints. One recruit sprang up and stated that he had found a cigarette on the edge of his plate.

"Good Heavens, man!" exclaimed the officer. "What do you expect—a packet of twenty?"

Climbing up a wrapped box on a shelf, he saw a friend scurrying along the opposite edge at a great speed.

"Where on earth are you hurrying to?" inquired the first man.

"Don't you see?" panted the other, indicating ahead of him. "It says: 'Tear along dotted line.'"

Two parrots escaped from their cages and took refuge among the trees in the grounds of a mental institution.

The owner of the birds asked the director of the asylum to help get them back. The director thought this might be possible, as one of the inmates believed himself to be a monkey.

He asked this man to locate the parrots, one red and the other green.

After an hour or so, the fellow walked in with the red bird held firmly in his hand.

"What about the green parrot?" he was asked.

"I wouldn't take that one from his perch—he wasn't ripe," the climber explained.

At a foreign conference a pretty secretary complained bitterly that a foreign diplomat had insulted her.

"Why didn't you slap his face?" she was asked.

"That wouldn't have done any good," complained the insulted one. "He's got diplomatic immunity."

"In the next you have booked for me near the stage?"

"Yes, sir. If it were any nearer your name would appear on the programme."

PRIZES HIGHER
CALGARY.—Exhibitors at the 1954 Calgary Exhibition and Stampade are being offered \$28,431 in livestock prizes, largest total in the show's history. The prize list is \$3,222 higher than last year.

Drive With Care!
PEGGY

STE-E-RIKE ONE! PEGGY

STE-E-RIKE TWO!

STE-E-RIKE THREE! YER OUT!

WELL? BOY! CAN YOUR BROTHER PITCH! HA HA HA

Young polio victim making 12,000-mile bicycle trip

A French-Canadian polio victim pedalled into Ottawa recently on the first hitch of a remarkable 12,000-mile journey 'round the North American continent—Quebec City and back via Vancouver, Los Angeles, New Orleans and Boston—is an amazing feat for 25-year-old Conrad Dube.

For the young French-Canadian who was crippled and paralyzed when he was two, can neither read nor write and can only speak haltingly in his native tongue.

Conrad didn't start to walk until he was 10, nor speak until he was 16 and his once-frail legs were in plaster casts for six years. Indeed he still is partially paralyzed.

The turning point came when the orphan from Quebec City's suburban Limolou first climbed awkwardly on a bicycle when he was 19.

It was his physician, Dr. J. C. Miller, who believed that cycling would bring strength to Conrad Dube's thin legs.

But the 15-month journey the penniless polio victim has just embarked on is more than a cure for his own legs.

It is his own personal crusade to keep his own spirits high and to give courage and hope to other paralyzed polio victims, he conveyed.

Conrad is riding a handsome red English-style roadster equipped with a three-speed gear—a gift this spring from friends in Quebec.

But last year on an old bike he pedalled 5,300 miles around the Maritime coastline and no sooner had he begun the new bicycle this spring than he rode 600 miles from Quebec City to Lac St. Jean and back in a week.

He set out on his Maritime march in 1953 with \$18 in his pocket and returned home with \$60—a tribute to the kindness and

generosity of all whom he met, he says.

Conrad averages 50 to 100 miles a day when he's on the road and plans to reach Vancouver by the end of August, taking the long route via Toronto, Windsor and the shores of Lake Huron, back up to Sudbury, Sault Ste. Marie, Winnipeg, Regina and Edmonton.

But he isn't going to hurry as he heads back through San Francisco, Los Angeles, New Mexico and Texas, New Orleans, Miami and New York.

And once again he will rely on chance generosity for food and shelter on the way.

Conrad Dube never went to school and for years never left his bed, but today he is seeing the world.

PREY TO EAGLES
WATERTON, Alta. — Eagles fattened themselves on many small birds in Waterton Lakes National Park last winter. Park officials making their annual spring survey reported an unusually large number of ducks fed prey to eagles.

Most of the egret prey made in the United States comes from seed-lax straw.

PLANE DEFENDED
EDMONTON.—Canada's chief of air staff hit back at critics of the RCAF's CF-100 jet fighter and said the plane is a world-beater.

Air Marshal C. R. Stemon, here on a western tour, said at a press conference recently there is no better all-weather fighter in operation in the world today than the CF-100 used by RCAF squadrons.

STAR WEEKLY
CASH WORDS PUZZLE
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See the Cash-Word Puzzle in this week's Star Weekly—and complete rules. A Cash-Word Puzzle appears in The Star Weekly each week, and one prize of \$200 is offered for the correct solution of each puzzle. The puzzle is made up of interesting and fun to work, and each offers a chance to win \$200.

SEE THIS WEEK'S STAR WEEKLY

Weekly Crossword Puzzle

Colonial Flag

HORIZONTAL
1 Depicted is the flag of
2 British colony consists of a — of
3 Waken (music)
4 Slowed
5 Uncoiled
6 Puff up
7 Eternity
8 Small houses
9 Prime minister
10 Mixed type
11 Drop of eye
12 Therefore
13 Beverages
14 Measure of area
15 Bone
16 Sun god of Egypt
17 Artificial language
18 Impale
19 Allowance for waste
20 Volcano in Sicily
21 Not (prefix)
22 Tasted
23 Fungus (ab.)
24 Bident
25 Parts in plays
26 Vase
27 Small ring
28 Small (comb. form)
29 Teat

VERTICAL
1 Mineral
2 Expunger
3 Fabled sea monster
4 Greek letter of — of
5 Employer
6 Remove
7 First man
8 Mirth
9 Concerning
10 Unit
11 Ideal state
12 Small holes
13 Palm lily
14 Distributes fairly
15 Replied sharply
16 Fungus
17 It is a popular vacation
18 Helical
19 King's home
20 Dinner course
21 Bait
22 Italian river
23 "Show Me State" (ab.)
24 Proposition
25 Scheme
26 Smooth and uninspired
27 Domestic elav
28 49 Peak
29 Diminutive suffix
30 Right (ab.)
31 Preposition

Here's the Answer

By Chuck Thurston

STE-E-RIKE ONE! PEGGY

STE-E-RIKE TWO!

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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

THE WAY OUT

By Morris Arthur Cunningham

"I HOPE the law had forgotten me," mumbled the handcuffed man to his linked captor, Detective Dan Bryce, as the train puffed westward. "Seven years is a long time. An' I never meant to kill the watchman. I was a fool to come back. Should have stayed on the bolts where I was safe. But I deserted a wife and kid 15 years ago. I've never had any luck since an' I thought . . ."

"Forget it!" said Bryce shortly. He was not interested in the life

history of his prisoner. Dan would have been married to Martha Sawyer two days ago if it hadn't been his luck to be sent from Logansport to New York to bring back Jed Sanders, wanted for robbery. Dan was more occupied with a fellow across the aisle, a noisy chatterbox.

"I've no one belonging to me," the globe-trotter announced, apropos of nothing. "Believe me I'm just as glad."

The mumbling voice of the prisoner recalled Dan from his derivative attention to the man without kind.

" . . . wife and kid." Dan wished he had a gag for Sanders. Dan wished he had stayed with them. He had a nice home in Iowa. The kid would be twenty now. I'll bet she's a fine girl, and her mother . . . But she'd be ashamed . . .

Sanders dragged out a faded snap of a woman and a youngster. Dan looked at it indifferently, then snatched it. "What's their name . . . their real name?"

"Won't tell you that," said Sanders stubbornly. "Martha and the wife will never know about me!"

"Martha Sawyer?" repeated Bryce. "How'd you know?" Sander demanded. "Tain't fair to them . . ."

"Fair?" Dan hardly knew what he was saying. Martha Sawyer was his girl. She should have been his wife by now. But he was bringing back her father for murder!

Across the aisle the loquacious traveler was saying, "Look at that fellow. I'll bet he has people belonging to him. And him in handcuffs. Now I have no . . ."

Bryce glared. This was incredible. Martha Sawyer and that kind pleasant woman, her mother, whose face still had the loveliness of the young wife in the photo that Dan held in his hand.

"Take your picture," said Dan. "You should have thought of them years ago."

"Well, they will never know," muttered Martha's father. "I support Martha's married by now to some fine young fellow."

Dan Bryce, her father's gaoler . . . Dan Bryce, her father's gaoler . . . the wheels below made a grinding chorus of the words.

"There'd be no one to cry over me if I went," the fellow across the aisle was still revelling in his consanguine isolation. Dan, fascinated, watched the motion of his lips, the gesturing gradations of his hands. Then the order of things was arrested. Dan saw the talkative one go flying from his seat. The car seemed to upend itself. There were rending, crashings and shrieks.

Dan and his prisoner lay wedged on the body of the man without kind. Dazedly, Dan tried to separate the bodies of Sanders and the man beneath. Both wore blue serge and their limbs were grotesquely intertwined. Sanders was whimpering; the other was torn and mangled. Glass had played havoc with his face.

Shouts outside sounded above the groans of the injured. Axes chopped at windows.

"Are you all right?" Dan shouted at his prisoner and unloosed the gyres.

"Think no," said the criminal. "Here they come to get us out. Why don't they hurry? What's pressing on my back?"

Dan did not tell him. It was a horror.

"When we get out of here, you're free. Understand? And best it quick. Get off the map and stay off. Get back to New York. Board a ship and sail to the South Pole . . . farther away the better. And don't talk!"

"But . . ."

"See this?" Dan Bryce snapped the shining rings on the bloody wrist of the man without kind.

"That's your way out, Sawyer. He has none to weep for him . . . you have!"

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Scandinavia is the largest peninsula in the world. 3095

Funny and Otherwise

An American woman traveling in France was at a party and she was introduced to a former Russian Grand Duke. Trying to make an impression on him, she showed him a long chain of malachite beads, a semi-precious stone, which she had purchased on her trip abroad.

"Aren't they wonderful?" she said, running the green beads through her fingers. "And they cost me a fortune," she added confidentially.

"I know," agreed the nobleman sarcastically. "My mother had a staircase made of it."

Drunk—I live here. Cop—Why don't you go in? D—I lost my key. C—Then ring the bell. D—I rang it an hour ago. C—Ring it again. D—The heck with them; let 'em wait.

He had taken a taxi, only to discover as he neared his destination that he had no money in his pockets. He shouted to the driver, "Stop!" and jumped out. "I just want to get some matches in this store so I can locate a \$20 bill I dropped on the floor of the cab." And just as he had expected the cab sped away when he entered the store.

A lawyer was attending a funeral. A friend arrived and took a seat beside him, whispering, "How far has the service gone?"

The lawyer nodded toward the clergyman in the pulpit and whispered back, "He just opened the defense."

Three guys rent a hotel room and each one brings a quart of bonded liquor with him. They sit and drink for one hour, then one of them gets up and leaves. The other two have to guess which one left.

A Sunday golfer ran into the club house screaming, "I've killed my wife! I've killed my poor wife!"

"Calm down, fellow," said the club pro, who was lounging around the nineteenth hole, "How did it happen?"

"I was out on the practice tee," said the duffer, "and didn't start her come up behind me, started my backswing, keeping my head down, eye on the ball, left arm straight and WHAM—hit her right in the head."

"Tough luck," consoled the pro. "What club were you using?"

"A niblick."

"That's the club," approved the pro.

A musician was practicing on his saxophone late at night when the landlord came in. "Do you know there's a little old lady sick upstairs?" asked the landlord.

"No," answered the musician. "Hum a little of it."

Goslings hatched at four-acre sanctuary

REGINA.—The results of the nesting of two pairs of Canada Geese on Wascana Marsh emerged recently when nine goslings hatched.

Fred Bard, Director of the Provincial Museum, who had been overseeing the hatching of these birds, reported that a brood of six goslings appeared on June 3rd, and three more young arrived on June 5th. During the cold weather this spring the eggs were removed from the nests and kept in Mr. Bard's basement to keep them from freezing.

These geese are only a portion of the bird life to be found on the four-acre sanctuary which Mr. Bard has kept for some years.

Last year Mr. Bard had Canada geese in his sanctuary for the first time, however only one gosling was produced by the one pair of geese he then had.

The sanctuary contains other native marsh birds, some of which are mallard ducks, blackbirds (yellow-headed and red-winged), killdeer, coots and grebes.

THE TILLERS

GOLLY, HAWK! ISN'T SUPPER HERE?

NO!

I'M TIRED SO I'M ON A STRIKE.

WELL, TO MAKE IT WORTH WHILE, HOW ABOUT SETTING A STRIKE AND HATCHIN' EM?

I BROKE THAT SIT-DOWN STRIKE IN A HURRY.

Expansion forecast for Manitoba

At least two new mines . . . a soft fruit and vegetable packing plant . . . a greatly expanded tourist business . . . a steady increase in fur production . . . maintenance of big game and fish resources . . . expansion of agriculture . . . and the opening up of new areas and maintenance of the value of forest production . . .

These were developments which Hon. C. E. Greenley, Minister of Mines and Natural Resources, predicted would take place in southeastern Manitoba "within the life-time of most of us here."

Mr. Greenley was addressing members of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of Manitoba at a regional meeting in Lac du Bonnet.

Resources of southeastern Manitoba are by no means fully developed or fully recovered, the Minister stated, and this area will undoubtedly expand under careful planning by the Manitoba Government and private enterprise working together.

A program planned by the provincial government to assure the development and expansion of southeastern Manitoba was outlined by the Minister. Major items on the program include the creation of a fully modern park area on the Trans Canada Highway at Falcon Lake; creation of forest reserves between Sandilands Forest Reserve and Lac du Bonnet; and serious consideration being given to increasing the capacity of the Manitoba Paper Company at Pine Falls from the present 50 tons per day to 500 tons per day.

A summer townsite on the new Trans-Canada Highway at Falcon Lake is being investigated, Mr. Greenley stated, which will entail supply of power, water, sewage, accommodation and sports facilities. "Development of this area as the major playground of the prairies is being fostered by government and private investments and development," he said.

Forest inventories in the entire area north of the Sandilands have been completed and detailed annual cuts have been determined for all that area, which lies south of the Greater Winnipeg Water District Aqueduct. The Manitoba Paper Company has been instructed in order that sustained yield from these holdings may be instituted, plans for this will be placed before the minister in the near future.

In addition, soil classifications have been completed for large areas and drainage and access is being provided in the Catfish Creek land development project. The 35,000 acres of agricultural land already provided with drainage and access as part of this project will be increased by a further 25,000 acres before completed.

Preliminary investigations have determined that much more agricultural land is available in South-eastern Manitoba and this will be opened up when it is economical to do so.

New highways being constructed throughout the region include the Trans-Canada Highway, the road through St. Anne to the U.S. border, from the Trans-Canada Highway to Pine Falls and the Victoria Beach Road. Resources

development and tourist roads are being pushed into the Whiteshell Forest Reserve and north of the Winnipeg River.

While the Antonia mine at Rice Lake has produced almost \$50 million worth of gold up to the end of last year, mining development in the area has been disappointing, Mr. Greenley stated. Valuable minerals of extraordinary diversity have been discovered, he said, but their recovery awaits further advances in chemistry and metallurgy.

Farming in the area is strong and diversified, the Minister noted, and manufacturing and forestry has been carefully incorporated into the economy of the area. Additional wealth comes to the southeastern section through the tourist trade, quarrying, wild rice and its processing, peat moss, blue berry production and hydro electric power developments.

CANADIAN TEXTILES

There are more than 700 primary textile mills in Canada and a third of them are in towns with a population of less than 5,000.

Skunk disrupts elevator work

FOXBERTON.—On a Saturday morning recently a rather unwelcome guest arrived at the local elevator in the form of a skunk which was resting in the back pit. When the machinery started the went up the cup belt and down the direct shaft up to the scale where it appeared knocked out, but when the grain buyer grabbed the broom to push it off the scale he discovered she was far from helpless resulting in a real spray job on the wall. Hence the elevator has had open doors ever since as well as several applications of disinfectant and deodorant. Luckily none went down in the pit or directly on the agent. Needless to add that particular animal denies was not delayed. The grain buyer's breakfast and dinner did not do him much good that day.

Jesus Christ, Abraham Lincoln and Napoleon Bonaparte have had more written about them than any other persons in history.

Jane Ashley Says

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STRAWBERRY PIE

- 1 quart strawberries
- ¾ cup granulated sugar
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- ½ teaspoon salt
- ½ cup water
- 1 baked 9-inch pie shell
- Whipped Cream

WASH, drain and hull strawberries; cut in half. COMBINE sugar, BENSON'S or CANADA Corn Starch and salt in top of double boiler. ADD water slowly; mix until smooth. PLACE over boiling water and cook until thick (about 5 minutes); stir constantly. COVER, cook 10 minutes; stir occasionally. REMOVE from heat; cool. FOLD in remaining strawberries. POUR into pastry shell. CHILL; garnish with sweetened whipped cream.



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TRY A TIMES WANT AD

Mrs. H. Riley will be absent for a few days next week and Mrs. A. R. McRoberts will be in charge of the Irma Times. Please let her have your ads and news items, etc., for next issue.

There will be a supper meeting of the Irma and District Board of Trade, Tuesday, July 20 at 7 p.m. in the Gratton View Hotel.

Mrs. R. D. Smallwood, well known resident of the Irma district for the past forty-four years, passed away in the Wainwright hospital on July 8 after a long illness. The sympathy of all at Irma goes out to the family and to her sister, Mrs. M. M. Tripp. Full obituary next week.

Mrs. C. Anquist motored to Castor last week to visit with her sister Mrs. Webber.

Misses Esther and Flo Allen are working in Viking hospital for the summer months. Charlie Allen is in Edmonton taking the teachers six weeks course.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Larson and girls of Winnipeg are Irma visitors this week.

Father Magrane was renewing old acquaintances here on Wednesday of this week.

Local News

The third and final polio vaccination will be given in Irma on Thursday, July 22. All students taking part in the test program are asked to be at the school at 9 a.m.

Attention Mothers—the Well Baby Clinic will be held on Thursday, July 22 instead of Friday, July 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Christenson and family spent last week at Minburn with relatives.

Miss V. Stockton returned to Edmonton after spending her holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Stockton. Kathleen is holidaying at Wainwright with her friend Betty Ann Donaldson this week.

Mrs. Sydney Smith and daughter Carol arrived in Edmonton by plane from Toronto last week. Mrs. Smith who is now visiting with her sister Mrs. J. F. Barrs helped to organize a surprise party for her mother Mrs. Knowles whose birthday was celebrated on Sunday last. Eddie and Gloria Savard spent last week-end here with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Savard while their parents were on a fishing trip to Moose Lake.

The next meeting of the Jr. W.A. will be on Tuesday evening, July 20 at the home of Mrs. Dunbar. Devotionalists, Mrs. Dunbar, hostesses, Mrs. Burton and Mrs. McMillan. Roll Call, "An incident from high school days." Program, Mrs. Torrance.

The Junior W.A. will hold a Sale of Home Cooking in the Irma Food Market on July 24. Eileen Anquist was an Edmonton visitor last week at the home of her uncle, Mr. N. Anquist.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Askin (the former Winnie Thurston) at the Wainwright hospital on June 30, a son.

Miss Winnifred Davis, lay preacher of Vauxhall, Alberta, is visiting here at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. W. Inglis.

Edmonton visitors during exhibition week were Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. K. Coffin and family, Mrs. Ernie Rye and Kenny.

Mrs. R. B. Kirkman, Betty Rae, Jimmie and Bobbie Anne, Mrs. McFarland, Jr. and Leone left Irma on Monday for a motor trip to the Peace River district where they will visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hill and family at Rycroft.

Miss Rosie Jensen is visiting at Irma at the home of her sister, Mrs. Leonard.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard are among those who motored to Calgary during stampede week.

Mrs. M. Enger, our faithful "Easter Echoes" scribe since 1946 is now moving to town and has asked to be released of her duties of recording the East

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news. We would like to thank her very much for her good work over the past eight years. We have been fortunate to secure Mrs. Harold Morse as our new Echoes Correspondent, beginning this week. Mrs. Morse will be glad to receive any items of news interest. Her telephone number is R211.

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